REMARKS

The Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-12 and 16-22, with traverse.

The Examiner is asked to reconsider the requirement on the basis that the alleged distinct inventions are not independent in that the glycols and polyglycols of claims 1-13 and 16-22 are used to make the polymers and polymer uses defined by claim 14-15. For these reason, it is requested that the requirement be withdrawn and an action on the merits of all claims be issued.

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